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When he bit his little toe?
Yet I've known some silly mothers
With their babies do just so.
Do you think I'd set him crying
Just to see his cunning frown?
Do you think I'd set him walking
Just to see him tumble down?
Would I call my baby pretty
When he'd neither teeth nor hair?
Yet I've seen some silly mothers
Think their babies wonderous fair.

Selected Story.

Only a May Blossom.

BY MISS ROSE PORTER.

"There's not a flower of Spring.
That dies before June, but vaunts itself allied
By issue and symbol, by significance
And correspondence to the spirit world,
Outside the limits of our time and space,
Whereunto we are bound."

I

Down in the sheltered nooks of the valley the snow lay like a pure white mantle. But up on the hill tops it was different, for there, from morning till night, sunshine fell, melting the snow, and waking up the flowers that were hidden away under the dry grass and withered leaves of last year's fall. And the very first to feel the warm sun-kiss of spring, the very first to open its blosoms, the very bravest of them all, were the "May flowers," the arbutus blossoms. The dear little flowers that need only one gleam of sunshine to flash them into beauty and fragrance; like some hearts that need only a smile, a friendly look, to quicken them into sweetness and joy.

So they budded and bloomed up there on the hill top, the "May flower," and no eye—no mortal eye, looked on them, those *first* children of spring.

Why did they bloom then? Why do flowers blossom all the world over with beauty as rare, perfume as delicate, as if they were to be gathered to grace, kingly banquet, or to deck queenly form?

Why do they thus bud, bloom and fade? Why? It is because

"Beauty is its own excuse for being?"

Surely that is not the answer to our *Why* Where then shall we look for it? Listen, and have we not a jubilant song of reply, in the words. "O all ye green things upon the earth, bless ye the Lord," —for—"Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor, and praise, for Thou hast created all things, and for Thy pleasure they are and were created."

But it is not of the many flowers blooming as sweet hymns of praise to our God at his waking up time of the year, that we want to tell you. No, it is only the story of the blossom of one little trailling arbutus vine, a blossom that opened up on the hill-top, where the sunshine fell all day.

II.

Under the withered leaves and dry grass stalks it grew, the arbutus vine, and here and there, impatient, for a peep at the spring time world, it pushed glossy green leaves—leaves, which the merry children, roving the hill side, searching for flowers quickly spied—and hardly had their briget eyes caught one glimpse of the tell-green, before a dimpled hand was eagerly brushing dead leaves and dry grass away, as gaily a young voice called:

"I have found them, the first arbutus flowers of the spring."

And the joyful echo of the child's words was still ringing through the woods, when the same voice sighed:

"No, I have not found them, for see, they have blossomed and withered," and a little hand held up a cluster of faded flowers.

"But perhaps there will be others underneath the withered leaves," another voice called.

So they searched, those children, for "other flowers;" searched and found. Led by the faded flowers, to cluster after cluster of fresh, opening, beautiful blossoms, some of pearly white, others flushed with rose hue, faint and delicate, as though their tint had been caught from the heralding clouds of morning—the clouds that are rosy with dawning-day gladness.

And they never guessed, those happy children, that the "after search," for "other flowers"—the search led to by a faded bloom, was a type of life! They never even caught one strain of the ever living parable Christ uttered, when he said: "Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone; but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit." The wonderful parable, clothed in the mystery of a blossoming, ripening, and seed dropping time. The parable that is ever whispering to us, that if we would lift our hearts up heavenward, laden with fruit and flowers, we must be content to let many a fair heart flower, bloom ripen, fade, and die, that from its death may spring fairer, sweeter flowers, richer, riper fruits.

III.

The day was well nigh spent when the children turned homeward, their hands ladened with flower treasures. Treasures that before the tired children had closed their bright eyes in sleep, were speeding away toward the noisy city.

It happened in this way. During the mid-summer days of the bye-gone year, there had tarried a stranger in the children's home, a gentle, kindly old man, about whom, as the day waned, the children had been wont to gather, as he sat in the wide porch of the farm house. And at such times, story after story he had told the eager little listeners,—stories of the great city from whence he came; and somehow, though the old man's stories were wont to be bright, cheery tales, there came an hour when he told one that—contrasted with their care free joyous lives—seemed to the children, the saddest of all the tales ever they had read or heard.

Yet it was only a commonplace story—alas, so commonplace! The tale of a crowded hospital, and of a child who never saw the green fields, never heard the birds sing, never held in her hand a flower, and yet, the old man had said, "Christ loved that little child, loved her so well that of every deed of kindness shown her, He said 'He did it unto Me.'"

"And there are hundreds and hundreds of just such sufferers," the old man had told the children, "whom Christ loves, and to whom the shoving of a kindness, because He loves them, is doing it unto Him."

As they hearkened, there had come into the hearts of these young listeners a great longing to do something for the sick and suffering people that Christ loves—the people shut away from the sunshine, the flowers, and the song-birds. And out of that longing grew the plan of gathering when the spring came, the first, the sweetest of all the flowers that bloomed in woodland nook, on the hill-side or meadow, and sending them as messengers of love to the dwellers in the crowded city. In whisper voices they had told their plan to their old friend, and with never a moment's hesitation he had replied:

"Send them to me and I will see they are given to those who cannot gather flowers for themselves."

This is how it happened that our little May blossom, the very one that bloomed on the sun-kissed hilltop, found its way into a wasted, tired hand—a little hand, all unlike the rosy dimpled hand that gathered it; yet, the hand that gathered—he hand that held—they were both a child's hand; a child whom Christ loved.

IV.

Every ward in the hospital was full. Scarcely a moment had the doctor to linger as he passed from sufferer to sufferer, on his morning round. But he did tarry by one cot-side, tarried for full half a minute, before he spoke to the sick child who lay upon a little bed, and as he looked down upon the little cot, there was something he saw that made his voice gentler—though he was a kind man—always kind and gentle.

What was that?

Did the child guess? And was that why, with a smile, the faint-like voice whispered:

"I wanted something, something you would think beautiful, to give you before," (and they both knew—the doctor and the child—what that before meant) "and now I have got it; see!" and the wasted little hand held up before him the "something beautiful," and it was only the little "May blossom," and he took it—took it, and held it tenderly, thanked for it as gratefully as he could have done had the proffered gift been a rich treasure of gold or gem, while softly he said:

"Arbutus flowers; where did they come from, Milly?"

And Millie smiled again as she murmured:

"They was just here when I woke up, and I think—I think—Jesus sent 'em" and the Doctor, he did not say Nay, to Milly's words.

Indeed, how could he, for—did not Christ send them?

Then the doctor had left Milly, left the hospital ward to go from home to home—homes, everyone overshadowed by illness and suffering—and in his buttonhole he carried all through the livelong day the "May flower;" and wherever he went he seemed to bring a mystical balm.

Was it the fragrance of that woodland flower; the blossom gathered by a child's dimpled hand, from under the dead leaves up on the sun-kissed hilltop?

V.

It was a room all unlike the hospital ward the doctor next entered; a room, rich in treasure of art and luxury, a room where all the winter long, the air had been sweet with perfume of flowers; and yet the eye of the weary sick woman who, day after day, had gazed on the rare beauties of the world, filled with tears, tears that were sacred as baptismal drops, as for a moment she rested her finger, a jewel encircled finger on the little wild flower that was fastened in the physician's buttonhole, while something he had never heard before sounded in her voice as she sighed:

"May flowers! I remember them so well—when I was a girl."

Was it the memory that flower awakened that led that weary lifesick woman who had drained to its very dregs the cup of worldly pleasure, to turn for long after the doctor had left her, page after page of the story in the Book—the Book that tells how the weary may find res.

It was a very different patient by whose bedside the doctor next stood—a man scarce past his youth, and yet a man whose voice was harsh; whose manner was rough and repellant, till suddenly the gaze of that sick man fell on the "May blossom," and in a moment it was gone, the harshness of tone, the roughness of manner, as he said, in a voice gentle as a child—a voice where a smothered sob sounded:

"Lots of 'em grew in the five acre lot back of my father's house," and not a harsh word did he utter all through that day; the man whose memory had turned away from sin and wandering; away back to the days of innocent childhood, led there by looking only on "May blossom."

It was toward nightfall when the doctor entered a home where there were weeping parents, sobbing children; for a life, a dear lovely little life was going from the earthly home, going to the Heavenly Home.

"She has taken no notice since sunrise,"—thus the mother told him. And baby took no notice as the phycian held the tiny hand in his own—no notice. But as he bent over the little form, a breath sweet as the clover fields, stole out from the "May flowers." It was beginning to droop, and, like some flowers, it gave forth its sweetest oder just before it faded. Do some lives do the same?

Did baby catch the fragrance? Was that why the closed eyes opened, why a smile played about the little mouth, why the little hand that had been still so long, was lifted for a moment toward the flower,—and then—baby's eyes had closed again, the little hand fallen by baby's side, and on baby's breast gently the doctor laid the "May blossom," while he said: "If God so clothes the grass of the field, shall he not much more cloth you." What did the doctor mean? Had baby gone, not to be clothed by mother's tender hand, but to be robed in the pure white raiment the little children wear—the little children—whom Christ carries in his bosom?

VI.

Do you ask was there ever a May blossom freighted with so sweet a mission before? Are there any blooming on the hill sides this spring time, that if gathered, because of love and pity for the sick and suffering poor, who are loved by Christ, will go forth on erands as comfortful?

Gather and send the spring and summer blossoms to crowded hospitals, to pastors of mission chapels, to Bible readers, and Bible workers, and perchance you will know. Perchance you will know, too, why we tell it, this simple story, that is not all a fiction, of

Only a "May blossom."

Miscellaneous.

"Making up with Her."

We old fellows have all been there, and we can remember all about it. We loved her—guess we did!—and we know she loved in return. But one day she gave Sam Thompkins a smile, or she let Tom Watkins walk home with her under an umbrella, or she did some other simple thing, and we got huffy. We loved her all the time, but we sat down and wrote her a letter, dating it at midnight, saying that we wanted all those letters and that ring and photograph back. We hoped she wouldn't return 'em, but we felt a malicious pleasure in punishing her. The letter was sent, or handed to her in person, and we met her with a cold "good morning," as she came to school, but bestowed our best smile on Lavina Wedge, the homliest girl in town. Our heart ached when we looked across the desks and saw her slyly reading the letter and trying to keep back the tears; but we went over to the third girl in front to borrow a grammar, and we were entirely unconscious of the presence of the girl we loved. We stood beside her in the class as strait as a pole, never letting on that we saw her, and the mutual agreement that if one missed the other should do the same, in order to keep together, was broken. We tried to feel maliciously glad when we went to the head and left her near the foot, but we couldn't do it. It went on in this way for three or four days. Once in a while we caught her looking at us with a sad, sweet smile, as if she were some poor orphan with no friend in the world, and her note said she couldn't part with the letters and the keepsakes. We held out bravely until it began to hurt us worse, and then we began to "make up." It couldn't be done suddenly; that would be acknowledging our wrong. We waited until noontime, and then as she began eating her dinner in her seat we began looking for a lost book. We thought it was under the seat next to hers, and while we were looking for it she spoke. We heard, but pretended not to, and she spoke again. Then we coolly replied, but sat down near by, and asked if "she had those letters with her." She said no, and we moved nearer. She said it wasn't her fault and we said it wasn't ours, and somehow our fingers touched. No one knew what a burden of anxiety was rolled away in five minutes, and how much clearer the afternoon sun shone for it. She seemed dearer than ever before, and when the brown eyes cleared the tears away and the merry dimples came back, we wondered how we could have been such an unfeeling wretch; and yet it was the same thing over in less than six weeks. Ah, me! Those lovers who have had a smooth path and married without having had quarrells and make-ups and jealousies will never know what true love is.—*M. Quad, in Our Fireside Friend.*

One of Beau Hickman's Tricks

Beau once made a raid on the Baltimore restaurants. He determined to dine well that day, or know the reason why.

He walked into Guy's saloon and asked for the proprietor.

"Sir," said he, "I want the best dinner you can give me."

"All right, sir," said Mr. Guy; "walk in here," showing him into a neat little private room.

Beau ate and drank of the best, and just after he had finished his cup of *cafe noir*, and had lit his Havana, a servant entered with a folded paper on a silver waiter, which he gravely handed to Beau.

"What is this?" enquired Beau.

"De bill, sah," said the waiter.

"Bill? I don't want any bill. Ask the proprietor to come here."

The proprietor appeared, bowing and smiling; he hoped there was nothing wrong, and that his guest had liked his dinner.

"I liked the dinner well enough, and the wine," said Beau Hickman, "but I want to know what this means."

"That's the bill, sir," said the proprietor.

"Well, I never pay any bills. I am Beau Hickman. I don't pay anybody Beside, you have no right to charge me for this dinner. I asked you for the best dinner you could give me."

"Well, Beau, you have wrung it on me and got the better part of me fairly. Now I'll not only forgive you for this trick, but I'll give you $25 if you will play this trick on the St. Clair, on the otherside of the way."

The next day Beau fared sumptuously at the St. Clair, and the scene was re-enacted.

The bill was presented and the proprietor wound up with "Beau, I'll give you $50 if you will play this off on Guy."

"My dear sir," said Beau, "why didn't I call here first? Guy has paid me $25 to play it on you."

"It is the Fashion"

Thin, scraggy, badly made women invented hoop skirts and puffed out dresses which gave the hips huge proportions, and they said, "It is the fashion."

Beautifully formed women, who required no stuffing, consented to the disfigurement, and they too said, "It is the fashion"

Short little women invented high heels and head dresses, making the face in the middle of the body, and they said, "It is the fashion." Tall and graceful women, with a sigh said, "It is the fashion," and so made themselves too tall, giving the dwarf the stature that nature, without high heels and high head-dresses, had bestowed upon them.

Women with large, fat feet, thick ankles and low instep said, "we must hide our feet and ankles." They invented long, dragging dresses, and said," It is the fashion." Then all women with dear little feet, said, "O, dear, it is the fashion, and we, too, must wear long dresses." That long dresses have a certain style about them is

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JUDICIAL CONVENTION

FIRST DISTRICT.

By virture of the power and authority to me given by the State Executive Committee, and the Committee of twenty-three, appointed by the Republican caucus on the 12th day of February last, in the city of Raleigh, I do hereby apoint Wednesday, the 17th day of June, 1874, and Hertford, Perquimans county, N. C., as the place for the Republican party of the 1st Judicial District, to assemble in Convention to nominate a candidate for Judge and for Solicitor for said District, and to transact such other business as the Convention may deem best for the interest of the party. The counties composing said District are requested to send delegates to said Convention and they will be entitled to one vote each in said Convention.

The Convention will be called to order at 12 o'clock M. punctually.

GEO. W. COBB.
Chairman.

Elizabeth City N. C. May 13th 1874.

THE PLYMOUTH CONVENTION--THE RENOMINATION OF MR. COBB.

Our Congressional Convention has been held and every prediction made by the NORTH CAROLINIAN has been filled to the very letter. Hon. CLINTON L. COBB has beed renominated for Congress; it *was done on the first ballot*, and he went into the Convention stronger than ever before. It was demonstrated beyond question that he was the choice of the great mass of the Republicans of the District.

Had the regular chairman who issued the call been present the whole business would have been finished on the first day. The friends of Mr. COBB had the strength to organize the Convention and promptly go on with the work, but the question had to be amicably settled—in order to prevent any quibble about its legality—as to who should act in the place of the absent chairman. This compelled a concession that enabled the minority to protract the proceedings, and they availed themselves of their power. Ere long the friends of LINDSEY and finally the majority of the supporters of MOORE—and to them both we extend our hand and our *heart* with it—felt that they were no longer justifiable in blocking the wheels, manfully yielded, and then the work of the Convention was soon over.

Of course LINDSEY and MOORE both wanted to go to Congress. Their aspirations were laudable and honorable. They worked earnestly. The former, true Republican and consistent party man that he is, at once endorsed the action of the Convention and pledged the nominee his full and hearty support, and we are sure that we express the sentiments of the latter when we say that he will not oppose the action of his party.

Never before was there a more powerful combination formed to *run* or *break-up* a Convention than the one organized at Plymouth last week. *The determination was to defeat the nomination of* Hon. C. L COBB *at all hazards.* It was the work of the *office seekers*, both Republican and Democrat, aided by those who have been *kicked out* of office, either because of inefficiency, incompetency or malfeasance. And the Democrats were quite as active and noisy as the rest. They especially desired the defeat of Mr. COBB. They knew they hadn't a man in the District strong enough to beat him, and they are getting fearfully hungry for the "sweets of office". They did everything in their power, hissing on the rabble under their leadership to demonstrations disgraceful in every sense of the word. Every measure was employed to disturb, annoy and block the proceedings of the Convention: Honest men cannot endorse their action. Some of them will yet live to see the day when they will feel humiliated and ashamed to remember that they forced themselves into a legally called Convention of the opposite party and attempted to overpower it by motions and voting!

It showed their desperation, aye, and their weakness after all, for they most miserably failed in their aim. The true Republicans who were sent from the different counties to represent the party in the Convention went to Plymouth for the purpose of performing the duties imposed upon them. They were cool, deliberate, determined. They were resolved not to be cheated, not to be intimidated, not to be tempted into any violation of the usages and laws of the party organization, *and they stood by their* resolution. Their firm and decided, yet conciliatory action, has made the party stronger in the District to-day than ever before. And the turbulent demonstrations of the corporals guard of bolicose disorganizers, aided as they were by their allies, the Democrats, have saved us hundreds of votes that otherwise might have been lost.

Friends! the victory is a glorious one and every true Republican in this District has great cause for rejoicing. Under the leadership of the gallant little standard bearer who has led us to victory in three successive campaigns we feel a confident assurance that we are about to march to a still more glorious triumph in the coming one.

POLYGAMY IN COUNTIES.

While it is not actually impossible that members of Congress may be guilty of vices greater than that of having four wives at once, still we are glad to see that the sense of public and social virtue is strong enough to cause a pause when the delegate from Utah proposes to take his seat in the House, having left that number of wives and concubines in his own house. On the 12th inst., the resolutions reported from the Committee on Elections, declaring that GEORGE R. MAXWELL was not elected, and is not entitled to a seat, and that GEORGE Q. CANNON was elected and returned as the delegate for the territory of Utah to a seat in the Forty-third Congress, were adopted without a division.

A resolution offered by Mr. HARRISON declaring Mr Canuon duly elected and entitled to his seat, was then adopted by a yea and nay vote. The House then adopted, by a vote of more than two to one, a resolution authorizing the Committee on Elections to investigate into the alleged polygamic practices of Mr. CANNON, and as to whether he has taken, and never renounced, an oath inconsistent with his duties and allegiance to the government of the United States, and to recommend such action on the part of the House in the premises as shall seem meet and proper. A good deal of feeling was manifested when the final resolution ordering and investigation was adopted, and the large majority it received is a very good indication of the sentiment of the House on the Mormon question.

We never fully favored the idea of making the Centenial Exhibition at Philadelphia an international one. We decidedly preferred that it be made an exposition of American development and progress in the Arts and Industries during a hundred years. And we are rather glad than otherwise that it is coming to this. We are glad to know that, at last, it is to be stamped as an American enterprize, intended to illustrate the energy, the industry, the invention, the skill, and the wealth of the American people. Of course room will be made for such foreign exhibitiors as wish to have a place in it, but the international idea is to be dropped and it is to be an American exposition.

President GRANT's oldest daughter, Miss NELLIE, was married on the 21st inst. to ALGERNON C. F. SARTORIS, of Hampshire, England. The bride is quite young, only about nineteen years old. Mr. SARTORIS is only twenty three years of age. The young couple first met on the Russia when Miss GRANT returned from her European tour, eighteen months ago. The bridal presents amounted to Fifty Thousand dollars. The young couple expect to live in England, and have already started on their voyage across the Atlantic.

The strongest glass will sustain 2,000 pounds to the squair inch.—*Ex.*

Yes but it has also been known to twist a man's leg in so that he couldn't walk.

OUR CORRESPONDENCE

Proceedings of the Republican Convention of the First Congressional District.

Pursuant to call the Republican delegates from the several counties composing the First Congressional District of North Carolina met in Convention at Plymouth, on the 21st day of May, 1874, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress.

A temporary organization was effected by calling Charles Blair, of Chowan to the Chair and appointing Jno. Q. A. Wood, of Perquimans and H. E. Nelson, of Pitt, Secretaries.

On motion of Dr. P. John, of Pasquotank, the Chair was authorized to appoint a committee of six on Credentials and the same committee was instructed to report names of officers for the permanent organization of the Convention. The following named gentlemen were appointed: Dr. P. John and Thos. A. Sykes, of Pasqnotank, Jno L. Chamberlain, of Camden, O. F. Gilbert, of Chowan, Arthur Spruill, of Tyrrell and M. C. McNamara, of Washington.

The Convention then took a recess. In the evening the Committee on Credentials reported progress and the Convention then adjourned to Friday morning, May 22nd.

At 10 o'clock A. M. on Friday May 22nd the Convention was again called to order by the temporary Chairman.

Dr. John, on behalf of the Committee on Credentials said they had unanimously agreed to a report and upon examination the following delegates were entitled to seats in the Convention:

Beaufort.—W. K. Moore, Abrm. Moore, John S. Moore, W. H. Moore, Nathan Elison, Jno. W. Woodard and John W. Mayo.

Bertie.—H. C. Fager, John W. Sessoms, Henry Cooper.

Camden—Asa Kight, John L. Chamberlain, John L. Sawyer, J. W. Halstead, Edwin Morrisett.

Currituck.—J. H. Ferebee, F. H. Shears.

Chowan.—P. K. Jones, O. F. Gilbert, Edward Jackson, Elias Holly, H. H. Hobbs, Charles Blair.

Dare.—H. W. Styron, Urias O. Neal, A. W. Simpson, Jr., Willis Tillett, Richard Etheridge.

Gates.—Fletcher Hare, A. G. Roundtree, J. R. Rooks, Belfer Sumner, W. O. Green.

Hertford.—E. T. Snipes, W. D. Newsom, P. D. Robbins, L. S. Smith.

Hyde.—No delegates.

Martin.—Jos. M. Siterson, Alfred Johnson, W. T. West, L. Z. Ebone, Merie Gray, J. H. Parisher, Peter Hassell, A. W. Powers, W. P. Moore, J. J. Smith, J. R. Mizzle.

Pitt.—W. L. Cherry, H. E. Nelson, S. A. Perry, O. Flood, F. Johnson.

Perquimans.—Jos. T. Overton, John Newby, Jesse Armstrong, John Q. A. Wood, Isaac Saunders, James Porter, Primus Nixon, W. E. Ferebee, Geo. W. Shares.

Pasquotank.—Dr. P. John, Hugh Cale, Chas. Gurkin, Thos. A. Sykes, G. B. Thompson, Emanuel Davis, J. M. White, O. Foreman, Jeffry Overton, T. J. Murden, Samuel Waters. B C. Brothers.

Tyrrell.—Arthur Spruill, Thos. Brickhouse, C. T. Sykes, James E. Graves, M. B. Libenburg.

Washington.—M. C. Mc Namara, John, M. Bateman, L. Jackson, Jr., Franklin Jones, Samuel Wiggins, Peter Downing, John, B. Chesson, Jr,, Wm. Macdain, E. H. Leary, Willlis Bryt, Wm. Atkinson, Franklin Stuart. B. B. Bennett.

On motion the report was adopted.

The Committee on Per nanent Organization reported W. L. Cherry, of Pitt as Chairman and Jno. Q. A. Wood, of Perquimans and Jos. M. Siterson, of Martin as Secretaries, which report, on motion, was adopted.

On motion the Chair appointed Thos. A. Sykes, of Pasquotank and O. F. Gilbert, of Chowan a Committee to conduct Mr. Cherry to the stand.

After a brief address, thanking the Convention for the honor conferred and trusting that its action would result to the best interest of the party, the Convention was declared permanently organized.

On motion of Dr John the following resolution was adopted, to wit:

Resolved, That each county represented in this Convention select one member from its delegation to be a Committee on Resolutions and that all resolutions offered to the Convention be referred to this committee.

The following gentlemen were appointed said Committee: Dr. P. John, of Pasquotank, E. T. Snipes, of Hertford, Jno. W. Sessoms, of Bertie, B. T. Sykes, of Tyrrell, W. T. West, of Martin, John B. Chesson, Jr., of Washington, Jno, L. N. Sawyer, of Camden, B. F. Sears, of Currituck, W. H. Moore, of Beaufort, W. O. Green, of Gates, Peter K. Jones, of Chowan, A. W. Simpson, of Dare, H. E. Nelson, of Pitt and W. J. Porter, of Perquimans.

A resolution was offered and read in refererce to the Salary Bill and was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.

On motion the Convention proceeded to nominate a candidate for Congress. The names of Col. D. McD. Lindsey, of Perquimans, Hon. C. L. Cobb, of Pasquotank, Aug. M. Moore, of Chowan, and Ed Ransom, of Tyrrell were placed in nomination. Before proceeding to a ballot the names of Moore and Ransom were withdrawn.

A ballot was then taken and resulted in 10½ votes for Cobb and 3½ votes for Lindsey. The county of Hyde was not represented in the Convention and Tyrrell did not vote.

On motion of O F Gilbert, of Chowan and seconded by Jno. Q A Wood, of Perquimans, the nomination of C. L. Cobb was made unanimous. The announcement created the most intense enthusiasm.

A motion was then made and adopted authorizing the Chairman of this Convention to appoint, at his earliest convenience, a Committee to consist of one member from each county of the District to constiute the Republican Executive Committee of the First Congressional District of North Carolina, and that said Committee elect their own Chairman.

On motion the Convention then adjourned *sine die.*

W. L. CHERRY, Chm'n.
J. Q. A. WOOD, Sec't'ys.
JOS. M. SITERSON, Sec't'ys.

THE RATIFICATION MEETING.

On the adjournment of the Convention a ratification meeting was organized, the largest ever held in Plymouth, and a Committee was appointed to wait on Hon. C. L. Cobb informing him of his nomination and invite him to address the people. In a few minutes he appeared escorted by the committee, and in a pertinent and feeling speech accepted the nomination and pledged himself to continue true to the great party that has so long sustained and supported him and to faithfully serve the people he represented. He was followed by Dr. P. John; Thos. A. Sykes, Esq., Col. D. McD. Lindsey, Rev. L. W. Boon, J. M. Siterson and others. The remarks of every speaker was applauded and the enthusiasm was intense.

Proceedings of City Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
Elizabeth City, N. C.,
May 13th, 1874.

Board met at a called meeting. Present Hon. W. A. Harney, Mayor; Dr. P John, Geo W Bell, H M Fearing, L C. Dashiel and M B Culpepper.

The Bond of Thomas Gaskins was presented and accepted and he was duly installed as Clerk.

Then proceeded to ballot for Town Constable. The names of R R Smithson, J H Miskell, G M Jennings, John Ballance and James C Black were placed in nomination. On the third ballot J H Miskel received the largest number of votes and was declared elected.

The Board next proceeded to act upon the question of Street Lamp Lighter. The following bids were presented: Wm. Coppersmith 6 cents for each, G. M. Jennings 5½ cents, C. R. McIntosh 5cts and H. McKinney 5½ cents For satisfactory reasons the lowest bid was not accepted. Mr. Jennings reduced his bid to 5cts. and by a vote of 4 to 1 was duly declared Street Lamd Lighter.

On motion of Dr. John the following order was made to wit:

It is ordered that for failure, through neglect, to light any of the public lamps of this town a penalty of 7 cents for each lamp reported shall be deducted from the salary of the Lamp Lighter.

It was ordered that the Clerk be instructed to procure a copy of the Private Act of Assembly containing the Act extending the corporate limits of Elizabeth City.

On motion adjourned to the 1st Monday in June 1874.

W. A. HARNEY
Mayor.

TOMS. GASKINS
Clerk.

From Washington.

In the United States Senate memorials were presented asking the Government to take charge of the levees on the Mississippi river. A favorable report was made on the bill giving soldiers or their widows and childaen precedence in appointments under the Government. The bill to relieve vessels from compulsory pilot fees was passed. The concurrent bill for the adjournment of Congress on the 22nd of June was agreed to. The Civil Rights bill was discussed.

In the House a number of private claim bills were acted on. The bill extending the time for filing claims for additional bounties under the act of July 28th, 1866 was passed. The bill to repeal the mollies system in the custom service was passed. The bill for adjournment on the 22nd of June was passed. In acting on the Post Office Appropriation bill an amendment was tacked on authorizing the transmission of the reports of the Agricultural Bureau without papment of postage. The Post Office and Pension Appropriation bills were passed.

A Great Catastrophe.

FOUR VILLAGES DESTROYED.—BURSTING OF A STORAGE RESOVOIR IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Manufacturing Towns Swept Away—Terrible Loss of Life--Destruction of Property.

A frightful accident occurred on the 16th near Northampton, Mass., by which a great number of lives were lost and an immense amount of properity was swept out of existence. On the upper part of Mill River, a small tributary of the Connecticut, in Hampshire County, there are three large reservoirs for the use of the numerous factories which lines the banks of the stream along its whole course. One of these burst suddenly beteen 7 and 8 a. m., and the imprisoned waters were hurled with tremulous violence upon the villages below, while some of the inhabitants wore not yet astir, and others were just going to their work. The southern half of the village of Williamsburg was almost obliterated. Thence the torrents swept over Skinnersville, Haydenville, and Leeds, destroying all the principal factories, and a great number of dwelling houses. The disaster was so sudden that hardly anybody had time to get out of its path. The flood poured through the narrow gorge formed by the hills on each side of Mill River, demolishing everything before it, and carrying down an awful debris of shattered timbers, broken machinery, uprooted trees, and mangled corpses. At Florence, five miles below Williamsburg, the country becomes more open, and there the torrent spread itself over the meadows, and so spent its force. At Northampton, however, three miles further on, the swollen currant of the river demolished several bridges and interrupted railway travel. The whole couutry about is like a gutter from which the mighty stream could find no lateral outlet, and it had only to rush on to the end of the valley, carring houses, trees, and human beings like chips upon it breast. Its force was soon spent, but its track was marked by desolation. There was hardly a living thing left, but on all sides could be seen dead cattle, horses, and even dogs, with here and there a corpse, perhaps, battered and disfigured beyond recogention.

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State of North Carolina, } Superior Court.
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W. L. McDonell, John K. Shoemaker, Enoch R. Artman, Morrice E. Clark and C. W. Smith, Pl'ff.

VS

Wm. H. Smith, D. C. Lippincott, D. G. Bush and Wm. Underwood, Def'ts

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that D. G. Bush and W. H. Smith, two of the defendants above named, are non residents of this State, it is ordered that publication be made in the *North Carolinian*, a newspaper published in the Town of Elizabeth City, for the space of six weeks, notifying the said defendents to appear at the next Term of said Court at the Court House in E. City on the Fourth Monday after the Second Monday in July, then and there to plead, answer or demur, or plaintiff will demand the relief set forth in the complaint.

Copies of summons and complaint in the said cause this day mailed to D. G. Bush, Belfonte, Pa.; and Wm. H. Smith. Philadelphia, Pa.; May 25th, 1874.

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Clerk Superior Court,
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State of North Carolina, } Superior Court.
Perquimans County. }

David Parker.

vs

John Pool, C. C. Pool, H. A. Morgan and F. W. Miller.

PETITION FOR REMOVAL OF TRUSTEE.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff of Perquimans county and affidavits of Jesse C. Jacocks and Thomas G. Skinner that the defendants John Pool and C. C. Pool cannot be found in the county and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State.

It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, N. C., for six successive weeks notifying the said John Pool and C. C. Pool to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Hertford, on Saturday the 4th day of July next, then and there to answer or demur to the complaint of the above named plaintiff, otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them and the prayer of the plaintiff granted.

Witness John H. Cox, Clerk of said Court at Hertford, this the 14th day of May, 1874.
48-6t. JOHN H. COX, C. S. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of Chas. L. Stokely.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his being chosen as Assignee of C. L. Stokely of Pasquotank, N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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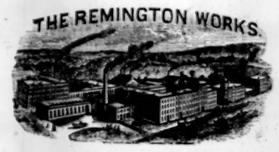

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THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

Court Notice,
New Offers
Pioneer Transportation Co
Last Chance
The Merchantile Rauk
The Home Guide

Local and Personal.

☞ Court will be held in Camden county next week.

☞ A correspondent from Hyde county informs us that the crops in that locality are promising well.

☞ The latest quotations are: New York, Gold 21¼, Cotton 19c. Norfolk, Corn 90c, Meal $1,05, Oats 72c.

☞ The Republicans of Chowan will hold their county Convention on the 11th of June to nominate county officers &c.

☞ The Democrats hold their Congressional Convention at Edenton to-morrow It will be time and labor spent in vain.

☞ The time and place for holding the Senatorial Convention for the District will most probably be announced in our next issue.

☞ The chairman will announce the names of the members of the Executive Committee for this Congressional District as soon as the list is completed.

☞ We are informed that it was through the influence of W. K. HAMMOND Esq., that the delegates to the Plymouth Convention were passed in the steamer for half fare.

☞ At the Plymouth Convention we met and made the acquaintance of a number of the leading and active Republicans of the District. They impressed us favorably, many of them especially so. We found them to be intelligent, thinking, earnest men and we are glad to know that hereafter we may class them among our personal friends.

☞ A friend of ours living in a neighboring town, who is somewhat of a wag, tells us that he heard one of the preachers complaining the other day of being wakeful on Sunday nights after preaching. He remarked to him that the sermons had a different effect upon himself from what they had upon his hearers. Our friend ought to have some respect for people's feelings.

☞ We take this occasion to return our grateful acknowledgments to the kind friends who contributed to make our visit to Plymouth a pleasant one, and especially shall we ever remember the courtesy and kindness of our friend Dr. WARD and his estimable family. Instead of being among strangers we felt that we were with old acquaintances.

☞ At the Plymouth Convention the motion to make the nomination of Hon. C. L. COBB *unanimous* was made by O. F. GILBERT, the most active working friend of Aug. M. MOORE Esq., and it was seconded by J Q. A. WOOD, an earnest supporter of Col. LINDSEY. If there is any consolation in these facts to those Democrats who predicted a split and a row in the Republican party on the Congressional nomination let them enjoy it at their leisure.

☞ Two colored men undertook a bold game on Saturday. They posted themselves on the road below the Fair Ground and on meeting people from the country would ask them to change money. As soon as the latter would get out their pocketbooks to do so they would snatch the money and escape to the woods. They thus operated on several victims. Complaint was made to Mr. WILCOX who at once took measures to capture the "robbers." About 9 o'clock that night he succeeded in catching one of them. The other is still at large.

☞ Hon. C. L. COBB, on returning from the Plymouth Convention back to Washington reached Elizabeth City on Saturday and remained over the Sabbath. In the evening our people gave him an enthusiastic reception, serenading him with music by our excellent Silver Cornet Band. He was called on for a speech and responded in his characteristic pleasing and happy style which was greeted with cheers by the large crowd of neighbors and friends assembled. Dr P. JOHN, Thos. A. SYKES Esq., Hon. K. R. COBB, and WALTER F. POOL, Esq, were severally called and responded in short speeches.

☞ For the past month the drooping spirits of the Democratic party showed semblance of some revivication. The apparent dissentions and spirited contests in the Republican ranks inspired them with a hope that the time was near at hand when *they* would wear the laurel wreath of victory and enjoy the emoluments of office for which they have so long yearned. They finally imagined they saw a bone of contention which was to divide us and furnish them the long looked for opportunity. But alas for their hopes, the action of the Plymouth Convention and the nomination and enthusiastic endorsement of that action by Republicans everywhere demonstrate to them that their hopes no longer stand the least possible chance of being realized. The Republicans, while they may have contests before nominations, have too high a regard for the fundamental principles of their party organization and too earnest a determination that they shall prevail in the administration of the government to act in any way to place the Democracy in power. That party belongs to a bygone age and had better dissolve. And the sooner it does so the better for the country.

☞ At the meeting of the City Commissioners on Saturday evening J. H. MISKELL was elected Constable and the contract for lighting the street lamps was awarded to G. M. JENNINGS.

☞ We like a tried friend—one who stands by you to the last. That the several aspirants for the Congressional nomination had such at Plymouth all will admit. We crossed blades with them and found them truly "foemen worthy of our steel." They were plucky, earnest, and yet *honorable*, for when fairly beaten they acquiesced—bowed to the expressed will of the majority, and they are going to work, God bless them, just as hard for *our* friend as we would have done for theirs had either of them triumphed. This is the true spirit—the way to maintain party organization and secure victory.

☞ After the adjournment of the Republican Congressional Convention at Plymouth on Friday last, a corporals guard of disorganizing office seekers, about a half a dozen in number, went through the farce of organizing a meeting by calling Mr. C. W. GRANDY to the chair and placing E. RANSOM of Tyrrell county in nomination for Congress. We have no sort of complaint to make at this. Mr. GRANDY has a perfect right to preside where they'll let him and Mr. RANSOM has just as good a right to run for Congress. But both having now gone outside the Republican party they will not attempt to impose upon anybody by longer claiming to be Republicans. Let them depart in peace. Our benedictions follow them.

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The place of burial of Livingstone is now marked by the following simple inscription cut in large letter on one of the tiles of the floor of Westminister Abbey: "David Livingstone, 1873," Since the funeral the Abbey has been visited by a large number of persons anxious to see the spot where the doctor lies, many of whom have placed spring flowers over his grave.

Harry Powers, captain of the steamer Clarksville, has been held to anwer in the sum of $7,000 for hanging up S. Beerman, a young Hebrew passenger, to make him confess to having robbed his fellow passengers, and then putting him ashore with his hands tied behind him.

A woman named Drinkwater, in the Maine Lunatic Asylum refuses to drink nything.

Letters of Interest.

Waters & Co., Published.—Dear Sirs. —The goods I ordered of you have arrived and have been delivered to your subscribers, and they all desire me to express their entire satisfaction with them. They say that they have saved money, and I took more orders when delivering than when I first went round; Enclosed find draft for $273.00 and order. Hurry up as you did the last. * * * H. C. King, agent, Selma, Alabama.

Waters & Co. : Dear Sirs.—Received from you yesterday crates of 42 chromos. I send an order in to-day for 40 more chromos—and be ready for an-other large order this week. Took 20 orders to day : all for both cromos. Sunbeam is praised by all who see it. Said a man to me to day, "Both those chromos framed a share in the distribution and the paper every week for a year $5.00! Yes sir; you bet I'll take it! Put me down for both ; here is the money for it too CHAS. W. FERRERS, Ducatur, Ill.

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A rooster at Windsor, Vt attacked a boy four years old the other day, and knocking him down, gave him five wounds in the head with his spurs. The old cock didn't livelong to crow over his exploit, however.

DEATHS.

PERRY—At Parksville, on the 23rd inst., after a lingering illness from cancer, HENRY PERRY; Aged 62 years.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

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OUR RMANT ENERGIES.—Our bodies are not as vigorous nor our minds as clear as they might be. This remark is true of at least two-thirds of civilized society, and of these two-thirds probably one-half is laboring under bodily infirmities of a character likely to shorten the lives of the sufferers. This is a melancholy exhibit and furnishes abundant food for reflection. Can the evilbe mitigated? It can. Lack of vitality is the primary cause of most of the physical and mental suffering to which we are subjected, and therefore a vitalizing medicinal agent is the remedy required. Is there such a medicine? There is. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will rouse and energize the mind and body when the life power of the system is in a comparatively dormant state. The languid, feeble, desponding invalid is not aware of the latent energies that underlies his debility. He thinks there is no element of vigor left in his frame, when the fact is that his physical capabilities are merely asleep and only require waking up. Let him stimulate and tone his animal machinery and endow it with new motive power, through the agency of this incomparable invigorant, and he will soon feel like a new man, or rather like a man who has received a new lease of life, and the requisite health to enjoy it. Many business men suffer from chronic languor and depression caused by two close application to business. Hard students are often oppressed with melancholy from a like cause. Mechanics and working men are affected in the same way as a result of over-labor. To all who are in this condition, from whatever cause, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will prove a signal blessing. It is a perfect panacea for physical debility and mental gloom. It strengthens the body, clears the mind and calms the nervous system; while as a remedy for indigestion, biliousness, constipation, rheumatism, and intermittent and remittent fevers, it takes precedence of all other medicines.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The copartnership heretofore existing between William Lightfoot, Joseph Smith and J. W. Smith, trading as Lightfoot & Smith is by mutual consent dissolved on this 1st day of April 1874.
WM. LIGHTFOOT
JOSEPH SMITH,
J.W. SMITH.
Jamesville, N. C., Apr. 15, 1874. 43-4t.

Notice:

The business of manufacturing all kinds of Yellow Pine Lumber will hereafter be carried on at the old stand of Lightfoot & Smith at Jamesville, N. C., by the undersigned, their successors, who will give special attention to cutting of bills for the home or other market.
J. & J. W. SMITH.
Jamesville, N. C., Apr. 15, 1874. 43-4t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTBY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy :
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of F. J. Harrell, a Bankrupt —ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by F. J Harrell of Martin county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of Mar. 2nd, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all the debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.
Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.
39-4t. M. B CULPEPPER, *Clk*

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of Henry Knaben.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Henry Knabe onf Chowan Co., N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
J. L. BALL, Assignee,
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State of North Carolina } IN SUPERIOR COURT
Camden County. }

Isaac Burnham Guardian of Samuel Riddick
Plaintiff.
Against.
Jonathan Edey Def.

NOTICE TO SELL LAND TO SATISFY EXECUTION.

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell the following tract of land, the property of the efendant on the 25th day of May 1874, at the fourt House door in Camden County, being Monday of Court week, to wit: Bounded on de West by Horse Shoe tract, the land of B. E. Spencer, South by Pasquotank River, East by John Williams land and North by Baird & Roper's land containing 100 acres more or less, to satisfy an execution in my hands against the property of the Defendant.
D. D. FEREBEE
Sheriff.
This 23d day of March 1874.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE!—

Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, on or before the first day of April, 1875, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to Intestate are required to make immediate payment to me.
GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.
Elizabeth City, N. C., March 18, 1874-6t.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of D. M. Lee.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36 3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of K. R. Pendleton.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pendleton o Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
J. L. BALL, Assignee,
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }
In the matter of L. W. Lamb, Bankrupt —ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by L. W. Lamb of Camden Co., and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.
Dated at Elizabeth, City, N. C., on the 17th day of Mar. a. d. 1874.
M B. CULPEPPER,
39-3t. *Clerk*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPECY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of M. J. Raynor a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. J Raynor of Bertie county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd, day of April 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. Barnard Sr.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. Barnard Sr. of Currituck Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of A. H. Coffield.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
Williamston, N. C.
7-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That on the 23d of Mar., A. D. 1874, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States of the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of C. I. Stokely of Pasquotank Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law, that at a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Coston Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of April. A. D. 1874 at 10 o'clock A. M.
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One of the anomalies of the agricultural spirit of the day is the fact that so little attention comperatively is paid to the cultivation of fruits in the United States. With soil and climate adapted to the growth of almost every variety, and with thus far an eager demand for all that has been produced, it would seem that apart from all other considerations that of immediate profit would awaken in the minds of the masses of the farming community, if not a love for pomology, a disposition, at least, to pursue it more largely and earnestly as a calling for more money's sake. That the taste for fruit-growing is on the advance is not disputed, but that its progress has been snail-like compared with what it should have been is equally undeniable. This may in a measure be attributed to the fact that eating fruit is an article of daily diet, is a yet to be acquired national art. As a nation, we are confessedly the greatest meat eaters in the world; to partake of animal food at least three times a day is one of the prime essentials of young America's education. From the merest infancy to far advanced senility, meat, meat, meat, is the indispensable of the daily meal, and the exception. All experience has clearly demonstrated that this national penchant for meat is detrimental to material health, and is therefore unwise. But leaving the physiological points involved for discussion by the medical fraternity, I desire to say a few words in relation to the position, pecuniary advantages, derivable from the prosecution of fruit growing to a moderate extent.

First of all, the farming who cultivates the leading varieties of fruit on a scale sufficient for the wants of his own family, by which I mean their use as an article of daily diet, and at the same time as a substitute at one or more of each day's meals, not only thereby promotes his family's health and comfort, but puts money on his pocket. This he accomplished in several ways. It cost less to raise fruit than pork will go further as an article of regular diet than the pork or beef that can be produced for the same amount. Again, a family whose daily diet is composed, to a great extent of ripe, wholesome fruit, will, other things being, equal, have fewer occasions for the door's services, a making deserving of consideration in making up an estimate. And yet again, the farm that is judiciously stocked with well cared for fruit-trees, though less artistic in appearance, perhaps, than some of the fashionable modernized ones, where costly evergreens and rare deciduous tree are planted in stately rows, has nevertheless an air of substantial comfort about it that largely compensates for the absence of these more ornate, perhaps, but decidedly less profitable embellishment.

To my mind a farm without a reasonable supply of good fruit is an anomaly that at once deprives it of its right to the title of a farm. Agriculture and horticulture are twin sisters. They go, or should go, hand in hand. To seperate them seems a violation of Nature's laws of which no true farmer is guilty. I care not how well his acres are tilled, how beautiful his crops, how thoroughbred his stock, and how complete his farm in the true sense of the word. Finally, a farm well stocked with fruit, in addition to being a source of comfort and health to the family, immediate profit to the owner, and a pleasant sight to all; has in it an intrinsic value far above the cost of rearing these fruit trees and cultivating those fruit patches. If it becomes advisable or necessary to sell, then the estimation in whitch fruit is held by buyers generally, reveals itself. A few weeks since I made up my mind to purchase a small farm in the vicinity of a large city. A number were examined. Some abounded in fruit treasure; others were as barren of them as the Desert of Sahara. Is it necessary to say which commanded the highest price, and which, almost invariable, found the most eager purchasers? In several cases in which the buildings, number of acres, and natural advantages were nearly equal, the fruit stocked farm was valued at from 30 to 50 per cent. higher than its fruitless neighbor, and would bring it. For these and many other reasons that might be adduced, is it not singular that so few farmers, comparatively, give even casual attention to fruit culture? W. L. R.

Planting Large or Small Potatoes.

The question whether large potatoes yield large crops, or better potatoes, or are any more certain to produce good crops in unfavorable season, than small potatoes, was pretty thoroughly discused by us, and others, in our columns last year. We do not know what was the conclusion of our readers after reading both sides of the question, but we were convinced on at least two points, namely:—1. When the weather comes off very dry soon after germination, the haulm from large seed will grow more rapidly, and produce better crops than from small. 2. Repeated propagation from small seed, for series of years deteriorate the variety.

Upon the assumption that we are correct upon these points, what is the true policy for the farmer? Shall he plant small seed and take the risk of the season's proving favorable, and change his variety when they showed signs of deteriorating, or shall he always select a fair-sized potatoe for seed, thus being prepared for vicissitudes in season, and preserving the quality of his potatoes?

Assuming that large potatoes are worth in the spring, one dollar a bushel, and small half a dollar, and that eight bushels are a fare allowance for planting an acre, we see that it cost but four dollars more to seed an acre with large than with small potatoes. Allowing potatoes to be worth half a dollar a bushel in the fall, it would require but eight bushels to pay the difference in cost between the two sizes of seed. We believe that in a favorable season there would be that difference in favor of the product of large seed, and in unfavorable season a much greater difference. If we only succeeded in getting back in the fall the excess in cost of the seed, there would still be a strong motive for useing large seed, in the theory that by so doing we preserve the character of the potatoes.—*Rural Home.*

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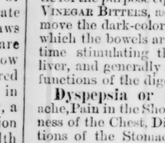

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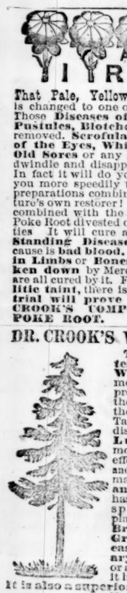

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